

From East to West

CHRISTUM WIR SOLLEN LOBEN SCHON (L.M.)

Johann Walter, *Geystliche Gesänge Büchlein*, 1524

harm. Lucas Osiander, 1586

Coelius Sedulius, c. 450

tr. John Ellerton, 1889

1. From east to west, from shore to shore,
 2. Be - hold, the world's Cre - a - - - tor wears
 3. *For this how won - drous - ly He wrought!*
 4. And while the an - gels in the sky
 5. All glo - ry for this bless - - ed morn

Let ev - 'ry heart a - wake and sing
 The form and fash - ion of a slave;
 A maid - en, in her low - ly place;
 Sang praise a - bove the si - lent field,
 To God the Fath - er To ev - er be;

The ho - ly Child whom Ma - ry bore,
 Our ver - y flesh our Mak - er shares,
Be - came, in ways be - yond all thought,
 To shep - herds poor the Lord most high,
 All praise to Thee, O vir - gin - born,

The Christ, the ev - er - - - last - - - ing King.
 His fall - en crea - ture, man, to save.
The cho - sen ves - sel of His grace.
 The one great Shep - herd, was re - vealed.
 All praise, O Ho - ly Ghost, to Thee.